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Mail Stop Express Abandonment

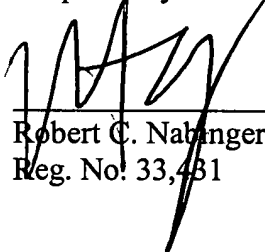
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Applicants hereby expressly abandons U.S. Application Serial Number 09/772,593, filed January 30, 2001. Applicants do not agree with the pending prior art rejections, and reserve the right to pursue these claims in a future continuation application.

It is not believed that any fees are due, but please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 08895-019001.

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